

Local Interest

G. Thompson is confined to his home by illness.

E. Massey, of Richmond, is visiting his parents here.

Miss Clara Culp has been seriously ill for several days.

Mrs. Lodie Gibson returned to her home in Charlotte Monday evening after a week's visit to friends in this place.

Misses Kate Culp and Carrie Kimbrell spent the past week with relatives in Columbia.

Mrs. Mary Wilson, of Charlotte, visited Mrs. W. M. Culp at the Palmetto Hotel the past week.

Don't allow water to stand in tin cans on your premises—if you do, mosquitoes will surely bother you this summer.

Dr. J. B. Elliott has been attending medical lectures in Baltimore for some days. He is expected to return to Fort Mill about the middle of June.

Mr. B. C. Ferguson returned Friday evening from Charleston where, as a representative of the Fort Mill lodge, he attended a three days' meeting of the grand lodge, I. O. O. F., of South Carolina.

The Times regrets to learn that there is no improvement in the condition of Capt. W. E. Ardrey, of Providence, who has been critically ill for some days.

The chances for the First Regiment of State militia visiting Jamestown this summer are more promising than before. It is now thought that the cost of the trip including board, lodging and admission to the grounds will not be over \$3 per man.

The young son of Mr. W. O. Bailes of upper Fort Mill who was so badly by a blow on the head some days ago from a negro man, is reported to be getting along nicely and it is thought that in a short time he will have fully recovered.

The Winnie Davis Chapter Daughters of the Confederacy of Yorkville, have extended an invitation to Governor Ansel to deliver an address at the unveiling of the monument to the Confederate dead of York county, June 7th.

The Fort Mill Dramatic Club has been rehearsing for the past ten days for a play, "Charley's Aunt from Brazil," which will be given in the town hall the evening of Friday, May 24. The play is full of fun and will doubtless be witnessed by a large crowd.

For the benefit of visitors to the 20th of May Military Festival in Charlotte the Southern Railway has announced a reduction from all points in North Carolina and from Greenville, Columbia, Seneca, Anderson, Kingsville and Lumberton, S. C., of one fare plus 25 cents. Tickets will be good from the 19 to 24th inst.

The schedule for increase in salaries of rural mail carriers is as follows: Routes of 24 or more miles, \$800 per annum, 22 to 24 miles, \$854; 20 to 22 miles, \$810; 18 to 20 miles, \$720; 16 to 18 miles, \$630; 14 to 16 miles, \$540; 12 to 14 miles, \$504; 10 to 12 miles, \$468; 8 to 10 miles, \$432; 6 to 8 miles, \$399. To take effect July 1st.

A marriage which was of much interest to the colored people of this place was that the past week of Gideon Edwards and Jessie Williams which took place in Columbia. Edwards is employed at the plant of the Fort Mill Mfg. Co., and is a colored man who bears an excellent reputation and is highly respected by the white people of Fort Mill.

Mr. Jas. H. Lee and bride (nee Miss Florence Moline) who were married at Bancroft, Iowa, the morning of the 8th inst., arrived Monday evening and are visiting Mr. Lee's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Lee, in lower Fort Mill. Mr. Lee is employed in government work in Panama and will make his home there after the 15th of June.

Messrs. Tillett and Guthrie and Congressman Wiley, of Montgomery, Ala., who were secured to represent Percy G. Fonville in the case of alleged conspiracy with Franc H. Jones in the defalcation of the Charlotte National Bank in assistance to Messrs. Stewart and McRae, will appear for the defendant when the case is called in the Federal Court the second week in June before Judge Jas. E. Boyd.—Charlotte News.

Memorial Day was fittingly observed here Friday by the carrying out of a program arranged by the Daughters of the Confederacy. There was a general suspension of business and a large crowd of old veterans and others gathered at the Presbyterian church and listened to several speeches appropriate to the occasion. The crowd then marched to the cemetery where the graves of our Confederate dead were banked with wreaths of flowers and evergreens. The monuments in Confederate park were also very prettily decorated during the exercises.

Fishermen out at the big dam of the Southern Power Co., have been making some very

profitable catches of fish during the past ten days. The fish, mostly red horse, attempt to get over the big dam on their journey upstream only to be thrown back by the mighty force of the water as it pours over the huge structure of concrete, and at times the water just below the dam presents a veritable bee-hive of fish. The fishermen then make an attempt to take the fish from the water. It is nothing unusual for a fisherman to drag out five or ten pounds of fish at one pass of his net through the water.

Capt. C. M. Etheridge, city treasurer of Charlotte, N. C., has been found short in his accounts to the amount of \$941.56. The shortage was discovered Thursday by C. L. Smith, manager of the Southern Auditing Company of Charlotte, who was employed to check up the books in the offices of the city treasurer, tax collector and the police station. Capt. Etheridge confessed that he took the money. The sum was made up by his friends.

The management of the graded school, with a desire to further improve the school library, has arranged with Mr. Franklin Pierce Jolly, the noted lecturer and entertainer of Joliet, Ill., for an entertainment in the town hall at this place next Saturday night. The hour of the play is 8.15. Mr. Jolly comes highly recommended as a public speaker and electioneer, and his entertainments are said to team with wit, humor and impersonations that cause side-splitting laughter. Mr. Jolly appears tonight in Lancaster under the auspices of the U. D. C.'s, and tomorrow night in Rock Hill under the auspices of the U. D. C. chapter of that city. This fact alone should dispel any doubt of Mr. Jolly's ability as an entertainer and secure for him a large crowd when he visits Fort Mill Saturday night.

If you desire to experience a good hearty jolly remember Mr. Jolly of Joliet on "Jolly Side of Life" at town hall Saturday night.

Boyd-Stewart.

Miss Helen Kathleen Boyd, fourth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Boyd, and Dr. James J. Stewart, a popular young physician of Mt. Holly, N. C., were happily married Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock, at the bride's home on Confederate street. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. J. H. Thornwell, assisted by Rev. Mr. Miller, of Charlotte, and was witnessed by a large crowd of relatives and friends of the contracting parties. The maid of honor was Miss Mary Boyd, sister of the bride, and Mr. Herbert Stewart, of Newton, N. C., was best man. Other attendants were Miss Mamie Robinson, of Charlotte, with Mr. Thos. Hayes, of Charlotte, and Miss Florence Boyd with Mr. John Holland, of Mt. Holly, N. C. The flower girls were little Misses Mary Sellers and Annie Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart left on the 7.30 train for Jamestown, where they will remain for several days before returning to their future home at Mt. Holly.

If you want Jolly smiles put on your face, "buy" Jolly, you want to hear Mr. Jolly of Joliet.

Death of Mrs. Douglas Harrison.

Mrs. Aurelia Patterson Harrison, widow of the late Rev. Douglas Harrison, died at the home of her son, Mr. William P. Harrison, in Yorkville, yesterday afternoon at the age of seventy-three years, after a tedious illness of several months. Mrs. Harrison was born at Liberty Hill, Kershaw county, and was married in 1857 to the late Rev. Douglas Harrison, who died in Yorkville, January 17th, 1901. Mrs. Harrison is survived by one son and one daughter, Mr. W. P. Harrison, of this place, and Mrs. Fred Nims, of Fort Mill, and by three sisters as follows: Mesdames F. P. Moore and J. M. Starr, of Yorkville, and J. B. Lyles, of Chester. The funeral services will be held at the residence of her son this afternoon at 5 o'clock conducted by Rev. E. E. Gillespie, and the interment will be in the Yorkville cemetery.—Yorkville Enquirer.

If you desire a Jolly good time on Saturday night remember Mr. Jolly the Jolly Jollier of Joliet on "Jolly Side of Life" at town hall.

Chester Has a New Mayor.

In the municipal election held in Chester on the 7th inst. Mr. W. H. Hardin, who has been mayor of the city for the past eight years, was defeated for reelection by Mr. R. B. Caldwell. The vote stood 259 for Caldwell and 176 for Hardin.

Aldermen were elected as follows: Ward 1, Jos. A. Walker; ward 2, J. T. Peay; ward 3, S. E. McFadden; ward 4, Z. V. Davidson.

Fort Mill's Departed Heroes.

The Yorkville Enquirer of Saturday published a complete list of Confederate soldiers buried in this county, numbering in all 875. These buried in this township are as follows:

Flint Hill Cemetery—William Alderson, Sanders Adkins, Wesley Blackmon, James Bruce, Sam Billue, Eli Bailes, Jackson Darnell, Lee Davis, Henry Glover, James Glover, J. R. Garrison, Martin Kimbrell, Wm. Moss, Wash Nicholson, Fulwood Porter, S. L. Smith, R. S. Warren, Lee Ashley, Dick Alexander, James Blount, Lee Boatwright, James Blount, Charles Elms, W. T. Darnell, Wm. Faris, Wylie Glover, J. M. Garrison, J. T. Garrison, John Merritt, J. W. McCoy, Robert Owens, Hiram Richardson, J. C. Smith, Jack Williamson, Neil Wingate, Y. J. Yarboro, S. Alex Stewart, John J. Coltharp, J. T. E. W. Boyd, J. A. Elms, West Phillips, J. D. Glover, E. E. Alexander, Robert Merritt, David C. Anderson, Newton Wilson, J. Reuben Bennett, Lewis R. Wilson, John Bain, Thomas Merritt, J. D. Sutton.

Fort Mill Cemetery—William Banks, J. M. White, J. P. Hunter, J. J. Drakeford, J. S. Williamson, J. A. Kimbrell, L. S. White, Wm. Smith, D. A. A. Belk, W. A. Wright, J. R. Hanna, Thos. Wolfe, W. H. Mangum, F. L. Thommasson, Greer Burns, D. G. Thommasson, John Poyer, J. L. Thompson, R. S. Wilkerson, W. R. Freeman, J. D. Johnson, W. E. Wilson, J. E. C. McDowell, Hugh Gelston, R. E. Lee, Uriah Parks, A. J. Downs, J. C. Jones, J. H. Stewart, W. S. Kimbrell, Robert Jones, D. G. Kimbrell, S. M. Culp, Robert Merritt, William Gibson, S. A. Harris, W. I. Jones, L. N. Culp, P. K. Mull, D. G. Bennett, J. R. Harris, Green Burns, Sam Blankenship, T. C. Spratt, F. H. Johnson, Dr. Sam A. Kell.

Big Crowd at the Reunion.

Quite a number of veterans and others from this place attended the reunion in Columbia last week and all speak of the gathering as being a most pleasant one. The reunion closed Thursday night with an entertainment at Columbia theatre. It was estimated that there were 3,000 veterans in attendance Wednesday and about 4,000 Thursday, which was the biggest day of the three. The old veterans were royally entertained and it is said that the only complaint was with reference to the manner of service of meals, which was not satisfactory, on account of a larger crowd of veterans being present than had been anticipated.

Cotton Crop in Bad Condition.

According to President Harvey Jordan, of the Southern Cotton Association, the cotton crop is in a very much worse condition, as to injury from the recent cold, than was at first thought.

"It has been reported to me," said President Jordan, "that the cotton mills around Memphis have shipped out \$200,000 worth of cotton seed to the farmers for replanting purposes."

"The price of cotton seed of any kind has gone up to \$1.50 a bushel. These are the same seed that the farmers sold to the mills last year for 20 or 22 cents a bushel."

As to the condition of the crop, Mr. Jordan quotes from a letter written the association by President Walter Clarke, of the Mississippi division.

In the Delta fifty per cent of the crop is in fair condition, twenty-five per cent will have to be replanted, and twenty-five per cent has yet to be planted. No planting can be done for several days on account of the rains. The corn crop has also been seriously damaged, and the bulk has already been replanted.

Under present weather conditions, Mr. Clarke thinks that an advance in the fall months is inevitable, but takes little stock in Mr. Price's statement that he will put July options to sixteen cents. "It is simply a bait to catch suckers; and while there may be an advance, favorable weather conditions will bring about as equally a sharp decline," he says. "A cornered market is a gambler's game; and I hope the people of the South will not be caught."

Clemson's Commencement.

The Times is in receipt of an invitation to the eleventh annual commencement of Clemson College, June 9 to 11. Following is the program of the exercises:

Sunday, June 9th, 11.30 a. m., Baccalaureate Sermon—Rev. R. D. Smart, D. D. 8.30 p. m. closing exercises Y. M. C. A.

Monday, June 10th, 11 a. m., Literary Society exercises—S. H. Sherod, Calhoun society; B. D. Carter, Columbian society; G. W. Speer, Jr., Palmetto society, 8.30 p. m., Alumni Address, B. H. Rawl.

Tuesday, June 11th, 10.30 a. m., Commencement exercises. Address to graduating class—J. H. Kirkland, L. L. D. Senior class speakers, D. B. Peurifoy, LeRoy Boggs, C. D. Eason. Delivery

of diplomas. Award of Trustees' medal.

Saturday, June 8th, 8.30 p. m., College Glee Club entertainment.

Monday, June 10th, 2 to 5 p. m., shops and laboratories open for public inspection. 5 p. m., military exercises, dress parade.

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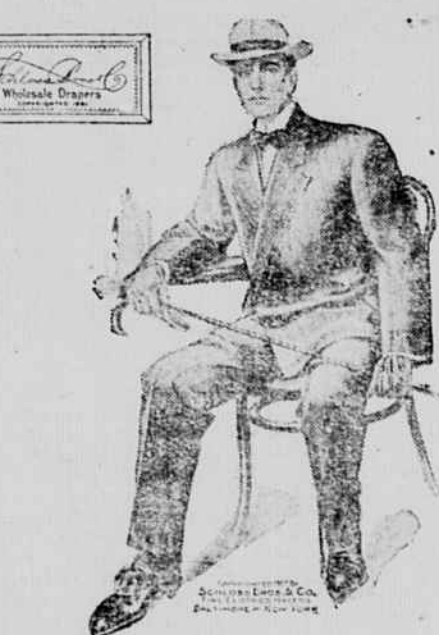
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